REMARKS/ARGUMENTS

By this paper, Applicant responds to the Office Action of September 20, 2004 and requests reconsideration of the application.

Claims 21-40 are now pending, a total of 20 claims. Claims 21, 27 and 35 are independent. Claims 1-20 have been canceled without prejudice.

New claims 21-40 are submitted for the Examiner's consideration. Applicant respectfully submits that claims 21-40 are allowable over Zaruba, Helfgott, and Grossman, either alone or in combination.

In view of the amendments and remarks, Applicant submits that the claims are in condition for allowance, and Applicant requests that the application be passed to issue in due course.

Respectfully submitted,

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